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WHAT?
THERE ARE MANY GRUDGES IN YOONSUNG'S OFFICE?

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YOONSUNG.
WAS THERE ANYTHING STRANGE WHEN YOU LEASED THE OFFICE SPACE? LIKE, WAS IT UNUSUALLY CHEAP OR...

YOONSUNG?

ARE YOU OKAY? ARE YOU GETTING FEVERISH AGAIN?

NO. IT'S NOT...

DONGA LOOKS SO DIFFERENT.

THAT'S RIGHT. IT'S YOUR FIRST TIME SEEING DONGA'S REAL APPEARANCE, ISN'T IT?

NOD

IS IT THAT DIFFERENT FROM HOW I USUALLY LOOK?

WELL... YOU HAVE A DIFFERENT VIBE.

IT'S PROBABLY MORE BECAUSE IT HASN'T BEEN LONG SINCE I STARTED TO SEE YOUR FACE PROPERLY.

...?

CONFUSED

WHAT DO YOU MEAN? YOU COULDN'T SEE DONGA'S FACE BEFORE?

NO. I ONLY STARTED TO SEE IT PROPERLY RECENTLY.

WHAT?

THEN WHAT DID DONGA LOOK LIKE TO YOU ALL THIS TIME?

HMM...

AT FIRST, HE WAS A BIG LUMP OF LIGHT.

HI YOONSUNG. DID YOU SLEEP WELL?

PRAY FOR ME, SO THAT I CAN EAT THESE COOKIES!

I'LL TAKE THEM

THEN, THERE WAS LIGHT ONLY FROM HIS FACE.

SOON, I STARTED BEING ABLE TO SEE HIS EYES, NOSE, AND MOUTH.

YOU KNOW, YESTERDAY, YOHAN~

HAHA

HIS EYES SHOULD BE SOMEWHERE AROUND HERE.

THEN I LOOKED LIKE AN EGGHEAD TO YOU ALL THIS TIME?!

NO! YOU STOPPED BEING AN EGGHEAD A FEW WEEKS AGO.

SHOCKED

THAT MEANS I WAS AN EGGHEAD UNTIL A FEW WEEKS AGO!

WAAAH
DEAR, DEAR
SIGH

DIDN'T YOU THINK IT WAS WEIRD? WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY ANYTHING ABOUT DONGA'S APPEARANCE BEFORE?
HOW COULD I SAY SOMETHING SO RUDE...?

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YOU ARE INCREDIBLE. I WOULD'VE BEEN ITCHING TO TELL SOMEONE.

YOU'RE AN ODDBALL
WHAT?!
THAT'S RIGHT. I PROBABLY WOULD'VE SAID SOMETHING THE

MOMENT I MET HIM.

IT'S BECAUSE YOONSUNG HAS A KIND HEART! UNLIKE YOU.

HMPH

ANGRY

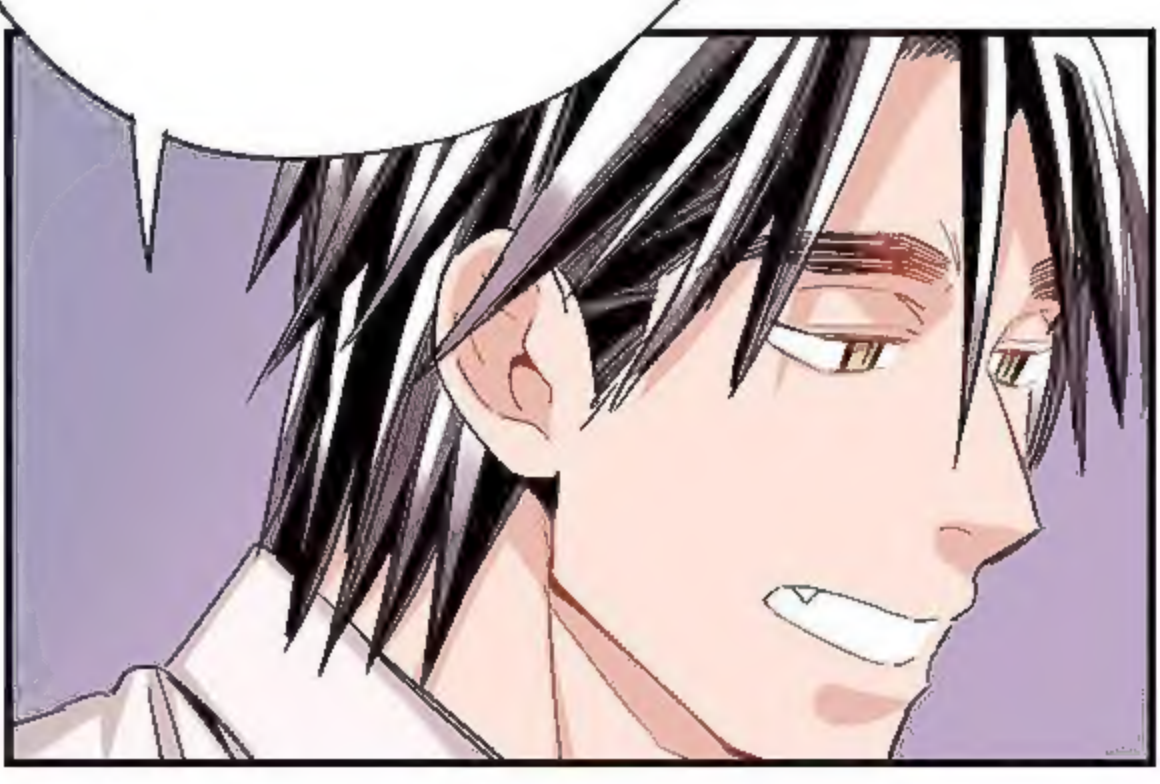
BUT WHY DID YOU ALWAYS HAVE A CHILD'S APPEARANCE? I ASSUME YOU HAVE SINCE YOHAN WAS A CHILD.

OH...

WELL,

IT JUST TURNED OUT...

I WAS ALWAYS CURIOUS ABOUT THAT AS WELL. HOW CAN YOU REMAIN IN A CHILD'S FORM FOR SO LONG? IT MUST BE VERY TIRING TO MAINTAIN.



I'D BE LYING IF I SAID IT WAS EASY, BUT IT ISN'T ALL THAT HARD, EITHER.

I GUESS IT USUALLY TAKES A TOLL ON YOUR BODY?

I'M FINE. I GOT USED TO IT.

LIKE I SAID, THAT'S NOT SOMETHING YOU CAN GET USED TO.

IT'S NOT COMMON FOR SOMEONE TO MAINTAIN A DIFFERENT FORM FOR YEARS UPON YEARS WITHOUT STRESS.

IS IT THAT DIFFICULT FOR OTHER SPIRITS?

HMM...
OVERALL, YES.

AND A CHILD'S FORM IS PARTICULARLY COMPLICATED.

YOU NEED TO REDUCE YOUR SPIRITUAL ENERGY, AND MAINTAIN THAT REDUCED LEVEL CONSISTENTLY.

POOF

?!?!

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

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YOU LOOK LIKE YOUNG DONGA'S AGE LIKE THAT.

HE'S KINDA CUTE...

PRO UD

Y-YOU'RE RIGHT!

RIGHT? AND...

KEKE

POOF

BEFORE I FIGURED OUT THE ORDER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH AND ESCAPED FROM BEING A LOWLY MINIKIN,

THIS WAS MY FORM.

EEEP...!!!

GASP

!!

MAY_I TOUCH?

WOW

ME TOO...

SOFT♡

SQUISHY♡

HOWEVER, IF I WANT TO TAKE ON THIS FORM NOW, I MUST GIVE MY FULL CONCENTRATION. IT'S VERY UNCOMFORTABLE, TOO.

POOF

SAD

CAN'T YOU STAY IN THE TIGER FORM ALL THE TIME?

IT'S SO PECULIAR. IT'S NOT LIKE DONGA IS A POWERFUL SPIRIT LIKE ME...

SORRY, I'M NOT IGNORANTLY POWERFUL LIKE SOMEBODY.

COME NOW. THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT. LET ME FINISH.

HMPH.

PERHAPS YOU...

FIGURED OUT THE ORDER OF HEAVEN AND EARTH FOR UTILIZING YOUR GIVEN STRENGTH IN BALANCE, UNLIKE IMPATIENT ONES LIKE ME.

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GENERAL, DONGA... DID SOMETHING HAPPEN WHILE YOU WERE OUT?

HUH?

LIKE WHAT?

UM...

I CAN'T QUITE PINPOINT IT, BUT SOMETHING SEEMS

VERY DIFFERENT...

AND WHEN DID YOU TWO RETURN TO BEING SO CLOSE AGAIN? HUH? DID SOMETHING HAPPEN WHILE WE WERE OUT?

WELL, WE...

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T-T-THAT'S NOT IMPORTANT RIGHT NOW!

YOU SAID YOONSUNG'S OFFICE IS FILLED WITH GRUDGES.

SOMETHING DID HAPPEN.

YOONSUNG. DID YOU NOTICE ANYTHING STRANGE WHILE YOU WERE IN THE OFFICE?

ANYTHING... STRANGE?

LIKE, YOUR BODY FEELING HEAVY FOR NO REASON, GETTING A STIFF NECK...

LIKE THAT DENSE KID WOULD NOTICE THAT.

UMM...

I DON'T KNOW.
I NEVER NOTICED.

I SHOULD'VE PAID MORE ATTENTION TO THE EMPLOYEES' HEALTH...

NO, NO. FROM WHAT I'VE LEARNED FROM MY CLIENTS, IT'S BEST IF THE BOSS GIVES THEM NO ATTENTION.

I HEARD SO MANY STORIES

NO NO

FROM CLIENTS

IS THAT RIGHT?

OF COURSE.

NOD

HUH? DO YOU AGREE, GENERAL?

OF COURSE! DID YOU FORGET BY WHOSE ORDER I AM SUFFERING ON EARTH RIGHT NOW?

MY BODY GETS TENSE JUST THINKING ABOUT THE EMPEROR.

OH... THE JADE EMPEROR.

HAHA

COUGH

OH!

THAT'S RIGHT. THE COUGH!

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